

Kiva Elementary School

ARIZONA SCHOOL REPORT CARD 2003-04

6911 E. McDonald Drive, Paradise Valley, AZ 85253

Scottsdale Unified District

AZ LEARNS¹

Elementary Achievement Profile *

Excelling*

* The profiles are Excelling, Highly Performing, Performing or Underperforming.

No Child Left Behind

Adequate Yearly Progress***

Met

School Improvement Status***

N/A

*** For additional information, please refer to the AYP page in this report card.

Arizona's report cards have been revised to include requirements in the federal No Child Left Behind Act, such as Adequate Yearly Progress and the disaggregation of student level data into required subgroups.

School Overview

Principal/Administrator : Dr. Michael Helminski
Schedule : 7:30 AM to 4:00 PM
Grades : K-6
2003 Enrollment : 712
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Mission

The mission of Kiva School is to achieve high academic goals in a safe, caring environment where students develop citizenship, responsibility, self-worth and leadership skills and where learning is valued by all.

School / Academic Goals

ü To improve student achievement in reading, writing and math on the state AIMS test.

ü To foster a pleasant and comfortable environment for students.

Instructional Programs

ü Balanced Literacy Program
ü Continuous-progress Math Program
ü Technology
ü Gifted

Enrollment

October 1, 2002 School Year Student Enrollment : 731
Accepting New Students in 2003-04 Under Open Enrollment Law²: No
Number of Students Attending Under Open Enrollment in 2002-03 : 164

Calendar Information

Number of Instruction Days : 178
Average Daily Instruction Time : 6 hours 30 minutes
First Day of School : 8/11/2003
Last Day of School : 5/25/2004

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Financial information will be posted on the web early 2004 after schools have completed year-end reports.



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School Site Council

Council Composition

- 2 School Administrator(s)
- 0 Non-certified Employee(s)
- 2 Teacher(s)
- 2 Parent(s)
- 0 Community Member(s)
- 0 Student(s)

Council Duties

- Ü Provide Vision for Future Direction
- Ü Oversight of Other Site Committees
- Ü Parent/Educator Relations

Staffing Information for School Year 2003-04

Position	Number	Position	Number
Administrator	2.00	Teacher	39.00
Other Professional Staff	2.50	Teacher Aide	8.00

Educational Attainment by Years of Teaching Experience for School Year 2003-04

Experience	Bachelor's	Master's	Doctorate	Other
3 or fewer years	3	1	0	0
4 to 6 years	5	2	1	0
7 to 9 years	1	2	0	0
10 or more years	14	14	0	0

Shared Responsibilities

School

We believe it is imperative to enhance school community cohesiveness through effective communication; to provide a safe, caring environment conducive to learning; to plan effective use of school time and to maintain high academic standards.

Parents

We encourage open communication, and a home environment that supports academic responsibilities. Parental involvement is a must, and we provide many opportunities for parents to join and feel welcome at our school.

Resources Available at School Site

Special Facilities

- Ü Technology Discovery Center
- Ü Computer Lab

Extracurricular Activities

- Ü Community School
- Ü Vocal Music
- Ü Community Service
- Ü Masterpiece Art Program

Social Services

- Ü Community Education Classes
- Ü After School Tutoring
- Ü Counseling Services
- Ü Lunch Program

Transportation Policy

Transportation is provided for K-6 students living at least one mile from school. Mid-day transportation is provided for eligible Kindergarten students. Service is provided for special education students whose IEPs require it.

Indicators of Success Based on Historical Data from 2002-03

School Achievements/Accomplishments 2002-03

- ü Ninety percent of students met or exceeded the standards in reading on the AIMS test, while eighty-nine percent performed at this level in math and ninety-two percent in writing.
- ü On the 2003 parent satisfaction survey, 96% of the parents indicated that conditions in the school support a pleasant and comfortable environment for students.

School Honors

Awards or Special Recognition Received by the School, Staff or Students

Award/Honor

Year

Student Activity Rates for School Year 2002-03

	% School	% K-6	Arizona	
			% 7-8	% 9-12
Attendance Rate ²	96	95	94	96
Transfers Out ³	7	20	20	20
Transfers In ⁴ (Within District)	0	2	2	2
Transfers In ⁵ (Out of District)	5	10	10	9
Promotion Rate ⁶	100	99	98	95
Retention Rate ⁷	0	1	2	5
Dropout Rate ⁸	--			8
Status Unknown ⁹	--			6
Graduation Rate ¹⁰	--			76

Measure of Academic Progress

	% of Students Achieving One Year's Growth	
	Reading	Math
Grades 2-3	74	54
Grades 3-4	81	76
Grades 4-5	69	72
Grades 5-6	79	90

Arizona's Measure of Academic Progress (MAP) is an indicator of student academic growth from one year to the next. The results are based on the Stanford Achievement Test, Ninth Edition (Stanford 9), given in 2002-03. MAP includes only those students who were tested both years in consecutive grade levels at the same school or who started the school year in the same school in which they were tested in 2003. A student achieves One Year's Growth (OYG) if he or she remains in the same Stanine or advances a Stanine from one year to the next. The percentage of students achieving OYG at the school is reported above.

NC = Not Calculated (less than 10 matches) Dashes (--) = No Data Available

Stanines are normalized standard scores that range from a low of 1 to a high of 9, with 5 designating average performance. National Stanines, like National Percentile Ranks, indicate a student's relative standing in the national norm group (Source: Harcourt Educational Measurement).

Arizona's Instrument to Measure Standards (AIMS) Results 2002-03¹¹

3rd Grade

Mathematics	# Tested			% Tested			MSS			% FFB			% A			% Met			% Exceeded		
	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ
All Students	113	2032	75372	99	98	101	553	547	523	1	2	9	9	14	25	41	36	36	49	47	30
All Students (Prior Year)	111	1994	70809	NA	NA	NA	540	545	518	4	3	11	12	14	27	40	36	35	44	47	27
Female	49	988	36901	98	98	101	552	545	524	0	3	8	7	15	25	55	37	36	39	45	31
Male	64	1044	38385	100	99	101	554	549	523	2	2	9	10	14	24	32	35	36	57	50	30
African American	NC	40	3589	NC	89	96	NC	522	501	NC	8	18	NC	25	33	NC	36	33	NC	31	16
Hispanic	NC	275	29103	NC	93	99	NC	519	510	NC	9	12	NC	28	31	NC	38	36	NC	25	20
Asian/Pacific Islander	NC	58	1574	NC	89	96	NC	564	549	NC	0	3	NC	9	14	NC	28	34	NC	64	48
American Indian/Alaskan Native	--	20	5086	--	74	114	--	528	491	--	13	22	--	13	38	--	31	28	--	44	12
White	94	1570	34597	97	96	98	555	550	535	1	1	4	7	13	20	43	36	38	49	50	38
Students with Disabilities	NC	189	8057	NC	69	99	NC	522	496	NC	10	23	NC	22	31	NC	41	28	NC	27	17
Students without Disabilities	110	1843	67315	106	103	101	553	548	525	1	2	8	9	14	24	42	36	37	49	48	31
Limited English Proficient Students	NC	188	16925	NC	106	112	NC	462	482	NC	45	27	NC	40	40	NC	15	26	NC	0	7
Migrant Students	--	--	869				--	--	501	--	--	17	--	--	30	--	--	39	--	--	14
Economically Disadvantaged	--	146	26325				--	526	504	--	6	15	--	34	34	--	28	33	--	33	18
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	113	1886	49047				553	548	530	1	2	6	9	13	21	41	36	37	49	48	35

Reading	# Tested			% Tested			MSS			% FFB			% A			% Met			% Exceeded		
	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ
All Students	113	2023	75221	99	98	101	546	540	523	2	2	8	7	8	16	48	56	56	43	34	21
All Students (Prior Year)	112	1998	70860	NA	NA	NA	548	543	524	3	3	9	7	9	17	40	42	45	50	46	30
Female	49	987	36833	98	98	100	548	543	526	2	2	6	5	8	15	43	53	56	50	38	23
Male	64	1036	38319	100	98	101	544	536	520	2	3	9	8	9	17	52	59	56	38	30	18
African American	NC	42	3597	NC	93	97	NC	518	510	NC	3	14	NC	21	22	NC	67	53	NC	10	11
Hispanic	NC	268	29019	NC	90	99	NC	522	513	NC	12	12	NC	16	21	NC	52	55	NC	20	13
Asian/Pacific Islander	NC	58	1572	NC	89	95	NC	551	536	NC	0	2	NC	4	9	NC	44	57	NC	51	31
American Indian/Alaskan Native	--	19	5071	--	70	114	--	518	502	--	0	20	--	21	27	--	79	46	--	0	8
White	94	1566	34543	97	96	97	549	542	531	2	1	4	5	7	12	45	56	58	47	35	26
Students with Disabilities	NC	184	8006	NC	68	99	NC	526	505	NC	5	22	NC	17	23	NC	55	42	NC	23	13
Students without Disabilities	110	1839	67215	106	103	101	546	540	524	2	2	7	7	8	16	48	56	56	44	34	21
Limited English Proficient Students	NC	180	16853	NC	102	112	NC	477	489	NC	47	29	NC	42	36	NC	11	32	NC	0	3
Migrant Students	--	--	866				--	--	503	--	--	19	--	--	23	--	--	49	--	--	8
Economically Disadvantaged	--	144	26256				--	514	509	--	12	14	--	21	24	--	55	51	--	12	11
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	113	1879	48965				546	541	528	2	2	5	7	8	13	48	56	58	43	35	24

Writing	# Tested			% Tested			MSS			% FFB			% A			% Met			% Exceeded		
	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ
All Students	112	1992	73654	98	96	99	558	554	530	1	2	9	5	6	13	76	73	70	18	19	7
All Students (Prior Year)	110	1949	68592	NA	NA	NA	581	571	542	5	3	9	2	6	12	55	61	63	38	31	16
Female	49	972	36239	98	97	99	572	561	537	0	2	7	2	4	11	66	70	72	32	24	10
Male	63	1020	37301	98	96	98	548	547	523	2	2	12	7	8	15	83	76	68	8	14	5
African American	NC	40	3488	NC	89	94	NC	533	515	NC	6	16	NC	6	18	NC	75	62	NC	14	4
Hispanic	NC	261	28348	NC	88	96	NC	531	520	NC	11	13	NC	13	17	NC	66	65	NC	9	5
Asian/Pacific Islander	NC	58	1558	NC	89	95	NC	572	547	NC	0	3	NC	0	8	NC	72	76	NC	28	13
American Indian/Alaskan Native	--	17	4947	--	63	111	--	546	507	--	0	22	--	14	22	--	71	53	--	14	3
White	93	1547	33924	96	95	96	559	556	537	1	1	5	4	5	10	77	73	75	18	20	9
Students with Disabilities	NC	171	7306	NC	63	90	NC	533	506	NC	11	24	NC	8	20	NC	71	52	NC	11	4
Students without Disabilities	109	1821	66348	105	102	100	558	555	531	1	2	8	5	6	13	75	73	71	19	20	8
Limited English Proficient Students	NC	177	16422	NC	100	109	NC	476	495	NC	53	30	NC	26	27	NC	21	43	NC	0	0
Migrant Students	--	--	849				--	--	511	--	--	19	--	--	22	--	--	56	--	--	4
Economically Disadvantaged	--	137	25711				--	529	514	--	10	16	--	20	19	--	58	61	--	12	3
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	112	1855	47943				558	555	535	1	2	7	5	5	11	76	73	74	18	20	9

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Arizona's Instrument to Measure Standards (AIMS) Results 2002-03¹¹

5th Grade

Mathematics	# Tested			% Tested			MSS			% FFB			% A			% Met			% Exceeded		
	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ
All Students	89	2110	76230	100	98	101	516	521	498	4	4	12	33	28	38	17	14	12	46	54	37
All Students (Prior Year)	110	2193	72888	NA	NA	NA	527	523	494	5	5	14	23	26	40	11	13	12	62	56	34
Female	40	1048	37247	100	99	100	527	522	500	0	3	11	32	29	40	16	14	13	53	55	37
Male	49	1060	38725	100	98	101	506	521	497	7	4	14	35	27	37	17	15	12	41	53	37
African American	NC	40	3594	NC	91	96	NC	482	476	NC	11	22	NC	51	46	NC	20	11	NC	17	21
Hispanic	NC	239	28100	NC	93	98	NC	489	482	NC	11	18	NC	49	47	NC	11	11	NC	28	24
Asian/Pacific Islander	--	56	1447	--	77	95	--	534	527	--	0	5	--	16	26	--	14	11	--	69	58
American Indian/Alaskan Native	NC	32	5292	NC	91	113	NC	496	463	NC	4	31	NC	44	47	NC	19	8	NC	33	14
White	77	1571	35389	96	90	96	518	526	514	4	3	6	28	25	32	19	15	14	49	58	48
Students with Disabilities	NC	171	9022	NC	80	105	NC	467	465	NC	29	31	NC	38	43	NC	16	8	NC	16	17
Students without Disabilities	87	1939	67208	101	100	100	516	523	500	4	3	12	33	28	38	17	14	12	46	55	38
Limited English Proficient Students	NC	157	14826	NC	101	113	NC	470	460	NC	15	31	NC	65	51	NC	9	8	NC	10	10
Migrant Students	--	--	837				--	--	478	--	--	19	--	--	51	--	--	8	--	--	21
Economically Disadvantaged	--	125	25037				--	488	477	--	14	21	--	45	47	--	13	11	--	28	21
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	89	1985	51193				516	523	507	4	3	9	33	27	35	17	14	13	46	55	43

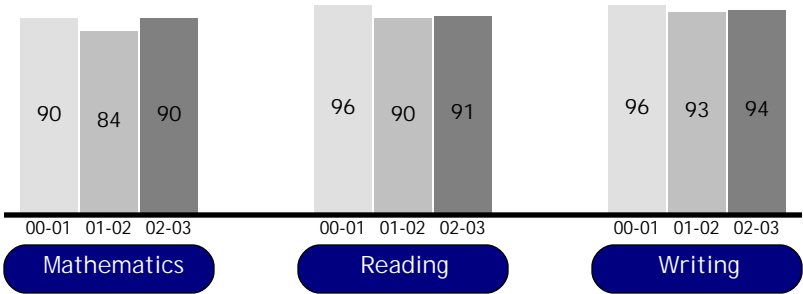
Reading	# Tested			% Tested			MSS			% FFB			% A			% Met			% Exceeded		
	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ
All Students	89	2103	76202	100	98	101	524	516	505	7	8	19	13	17	24	56	55	46	24	20	11
All Students (Prior Year)	109	2198	72779	NA	NA	NA	518	518	505	9	9	21	8	12	20	54	48	43	29	31	15
Female	40	1037	37231	100	98	100	536	519	507	0	5	16	13	15	24	55	56	48	32	23	13
Male	49	1064	38718	100	98	101	514	514	503	13	10	22	13	18	24	57	55	44	17	17	10
African American	NC	41	3600	NC	93	97	NC	501	497	NC	17	28	NC	28	29	NC	50	39	NC	6	5
Hispanic	NC	237	28090	NC	92	98	NC	500	497	NC	19	28	NC	36	30	NC	37	37	NC	8	5
Asian/Pacific Islander	--	55	1443	--	75	95	--	524	515	--	2	9	--	6	19	--	65	53	--	27	19
American Indian/Alaskan Native	NC	32	5311	NC	91	113	NC	501	491	NC	15	38	NC	26	31	NC	56	28	NC	4	3
White	77	1566	35371	96	90	96	523	518	512	7	6	10	12	14	20	55	58	54	26	22	16
Students with Disabilities	NC	173	9097	NC	80	106	NC	490	493	NC	39	39	NC	30	27	NC	30	29	NC	2	5
Students without Disabilities	87	1930	67105	101	100	100	524	517	506	7	7	18	13	17	24	56	56	47	24	21	12
Limited English Proficient Students	NC	158	14780	NC	102	113	NC	489	486	NC	36	50	NC	45	32	NC	17	18	NC	3	1
Migrant Students	--	--	832				--	--	492	--	--	36	--	--	31	--	--	31	--	--	3
Economically Disadvantaged	--	123	24961				--	493	495	--	37	32	--	29	30	--	30	34	--	4	4
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	89	1980	51241				524	517	509	7	6	14	13	16	22	56	57	51	24	21	14

Writing	# Tested			% Tested			MSS			% FFB			% A			% Met			% Exceeded		
	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ	S	D	AZ
All Students	88	2048	74692	99	95	99	523	529	502	4	6	18	23	18	27	61	57	47	12	18	8
All Students (Prior Year)	106	2146	70710	NA	NA	NA	557	550	512	7	5	17	12	14	26	41	47	42	41	34	16
Female	40	1020	36710	100	96	99	540	538	509	0	4	14	11	16	26	68	58	50	21	23	10
Male	48	1026	37742	98	95	98	508	520	495	7	9	22	33	21	28	56	57	44	4	13	6
African American	NC	39	3516	NC	89	94	NC	497	487	NC	20	26	NC	26	31	NC	49	39	NC	6	4
Hispanic	NC	232	27492	NC	90	96	NC	501	486	NC	17	27	NC	28	32	NC	45	38	NC	9	4
Asian/Pacific Islander	--	54	1428	--	74	94	--	554	528	--	4	8	--	6	20	--	55	54	--	35	18
American Indian/Alaskan Native	NC	29	5166	NC	83	110	NC	498	470	NC	15	39	NC	26	32	NC	56	27	NC	4	2
White	76	1523	34785	95	88	94	523	533	517	3	5	10	25	18	23	59	59	56	14	19	11
Students with Disabilities	NC	152	8428	NC	71	98	NC	481	472	NC	23	38	NC	42	30	NC	32	29	NC	3	3
Students without Disabilities	86	1896	66264	100	98	99	523	530	503	4	6	17	23	18	27	61	58	48	12	18	8
Limited English Proficient Students	NC	151	14363	NC	97	109	NC	474	459	NC	33	47	NC	41	34	NC	25	19	NC	1	1
Migrant Students	--	--	814				--	--	475	--	--	33	--	--	37	--	--	27	--	--	2
Economically Disadvantaged	--	119	24507				--	495	480	--	19	31	--	41	33	--	30	33	--	10	3
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	88	1929	50185				523	531	511	4	6	13	23	17	24	61	59	53	12	18	10

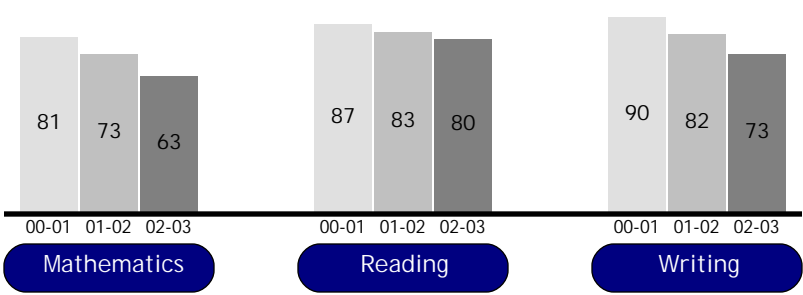
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Recent Trends in Student Proficiency on the State Standards (AIMS Test)

3rd Grade Proficiency



5th Grade Proficiency



The graph includes the percentage of students that met or exceeded the standards. NC = Not Calculated. Under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), no individually identifiable references to students may be made. Therefore, items of data containing information about fewer than ten (10) students have been replaced with NC.

The table below shows the schools that met or did not meet based on federal AYP requirements. To meet AYP for the year, all applicable goals must be met.

AYP Determination	Met Percent Tested?	Y
	Met Test Objectives?	Y
	Met Attendance Rate?	Y
	Met Graduation Rate?	NA
	Made AYP?	Yes

Glossary:

Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP): The federal mandate, No Child Left Behind, that holds schools accountable for the performance of subgroups, as well as all students. The goal is to have 100% of all students at and above proficient by 2013-14 in reading and math.

Met Percent Tested: Schools and districts in which at least ninety-five percent (95%) of students enrolled at the time of the test administration complete the state assessments will meet the AYP standard established in federal statute. Schools and districts in which fewer than ninety-five percent (95%) of any student subgroup complete the state-mandated assessments will not meet the AYP standard, provided that the size of the subgroup meets the minimum number of students required for the analysis, thirty (30) students.

Met Test Objectives: The ADE will calculate the percentage of students meeting or exceeding the standard in reading and mathematics in order to determine if each subgroup met the annual measurable objectives for each subject/grade (AMO). If all student subgroups meet the annual measurable objectives the school is considered to have met the AYP standard. If any of the student subgroups fails to meet the annual measurable objectives the school is considered not to have met the AYP standard. To ensure that AYP decisions are valid and reliable, the ADE will use confidence intervals for all subgroups, schools, districts and state determinations. The ADE will utilize a 99% confidence level to make valid AYP determinations for each of these groups by subject area (reading and mathematics).

Met Attendance Rate: Students must have an attendance rate of at least 93.5% over the first 100 days of the academic year. This is calculated by dividing the Average Daily Attendance (ADA) by the Average Daily Membership (ADM). If the attendance rate is less than 93.5% at the school level, the safe harbor provision allows for a .5% gain or more from the previous academic year.

Met Graduation Rate: School wide, those that are required to submit graduation rate data must have a four year graduation rate for the class of 2002 of 70.5% or greater. If the graduation rate is less than 70.5% at the school level, the safe harbor provision allows for a .5% gain or more from the previous academic year. Recall that, for each subgroup, the attendance rate and its associated targets apply; the graduation rate indicator can be used only at the school level.

School Improvement - Year 1: Schools that have not made adequate yearly progress for two consecutive years are required to be identified for school improvement. These schools must write a school improvement plan, set aside funds for teacher training, implement the plan and offer Public School Choice (transportation) to the parents of all students attending the school.

School Improvement - Year 2: Schools that have not made adequate yearly progress for three consecutive years are identified for school improvement for the second year. These schools must continue the school improvement requirements from Year 1. In addition, they must offer Supplemental Educational Services (tutoring) to the parents of eligible students attending the school.

Corrective Action: Schools that have not made adequate yearly progress for four consecutive years are identified for Corrective Action. These schools must continue the school improvement requirements from Year 2. In addition, the district or charter holder must implement one corrective action from a list of six possible actions as stated in the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001.

For More Information on AYP, visit our website at www.ade.az.gov/azlearns and go to NCLB link

Stanford Achievement Test, Ninth Edition (SAT-9) Results

Stanford 9 Percentile Rank Scores

Grade	Content Area	2000-2001				2001-2002				2002-2003			
		%	Score	D	AZ	%	Score	D	AZ	%	Score	D	AZ
2	Reading	94	80	71	53	97	83	67	44	97	85	66	50
	Language	96	70	65	45	97	80	63	39	99	81	61	43
	Mathematics	96	84	74	56	97	90	75	52	100	86	72	57
3	Reading	93	76	72	50	95	77	67	43	100	80	70	47
	Language	92	80	76	55	95	79	72	50	99	81	75	54
	Mathematics	93	79	76	53	95	82	72	50	100	81	73	54
4	Reading	96	85	77	55	96	78	71	47	100	80	75	52
	Language	96	76	69	50	96	70	65	45	100	71	68	48
	Mathematics	96	86	77	56	96	80	74	52	100	80	78	57
5	Reading	96	85	72	51	98	80	69	46	100	77	70	50
	Language	95	79	66	46	97	71	64	43	99	66	65	46
	Mathematics	95	91	78	56	97	81	76	54	99	79	77	57
6	Reading	97	77	72	54	98	84	72	49	99	81	72	53
	Language	96	71	66	46	98	80	66	42	99	77	67	45
	Mathematics	97	85	80	61	98	91	78	58	100	88	78	62

The Stanford 9 is a standardized, norm-referenced test. Since 1999, all students in grades 2 through 9 have been tested in Reading, Mathematics and Language. The percentage (%) of eligible students tested and the school's percentile ranks are listed above. State average percentile ranks for Arizona and District are provided for comparison. Note that the average percentile ranks for the nation are 50 for all content areas in all grades. Under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), no individually identifiable references to students may be made. Therefore, items of data containing information about fewer than ten students have been replaced with NC (not calculated) to protect student privacy. Some columns contain dashes (-) to indicate "no data available."

School Safety

School-level Efforts to Ensure a Safe and Healthy Learning Environment

We focus on building positive relationships. This is accomplished by treating each other with respect, appreciating the diversity of our community and doing our personal best. Staff uses respectful consequences in consistently setting limits.

Total number of incidents that occurred on the school grounds that required the intervention of local, state or federal law enforcement (A.R.S.15-746.6) :

0

The Arizona Attorney General's Office has a hotline that allows students to report suspicious activities at schools and to get help with potentially violent situations, such as bullying, harassment, hate crimes, discrimination and gangs. The toll-free number, 1-877-900-1086, is anonymous and available 24 hours a day.

Contacts

	Name	Phone Number
School Site Council	Michael Helminski	(480) 484-2200
Transportation Policy	Dan Shearer	(480) 484-8550
Community Resources	Carol Hughes	(480) 484-6158
School Nutrition Programs	Barbara Savastio	(480) 484-8686
Parent Organization	Jeri Kendle	(480) 484-2200
Student Health/Nurse	Kim Petersen	(480) 484-2200

The Arizona School Report Card was prepared by the Arizona Department of Education using a standardized format to combine information provided by the local school with data compiled from state records. Each school has special strengths and needs, and all schools benefit from the active involvement of parents in their children's education. If you have questions about the report card or need more information, contact the school office. Arizona School Report Cards can be found for all schools at www.ade.az.gov/srcs on the Internet. "The Arizona Department of Education, a state educational agency, is an equal opportunity employer and affirms that it does not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, national origin, age, sex or handicapping conditions."

1 For an explanation of the Achievement Profiles, please visit our website at www.ade.az.gov/azlearns. If your school received a small school, new school or alternative label, this is not an achievement profile. They did not meet the criteria to receive an achievement profile. Schools will receive an achievement profile in October of 2004.

2 Under ARS 15-816, school district governing boards must implement open enrollment programs and establish policies covering admission criteria, application procedures and transportation provisions. For more information, contact the school district office.

3 Transfers Out: Percentage of accountable students withdrawing to continue studies in another school or to be taught at home for the 2002-03 school year.

4 Transfers In (Within District): Percentage of accountable students entering school who were previously enrolled in another Arizona public school within the school district during the 2002-03 school year.

5 Transfers In (Out of District): Percentage of accountable students entering school who were previously enrolled in another school district during the 2002-03 school year.

6 Promotion Rate: Percentage of students promoted to the next grade or who met graduation requirements and received a traditional diploma at the end of the 2002-03 school year. Percentage includes students who left school at age 22 or who had completed school and received a non-traditional diploma.

7 Retention Rate: Percentage of students retained at the end of the 2002-03 school year.

8 Dropout Rate: Percentage of students counted as withdrawn due to chronic illness, expulsion or dropping out during the 2002-03 school year, to include activity during the summer of 2002. This rate includes students who were withdrawn after 10 consecutive days of unexcused absences or were coded by the school as "status unknown." The Promotion Rate, Retention Rate and Dropout Rate may not add to 100% due to the inclusion of summer activity in the Dropout Rate but not in the Promotion Rate and Retention Rate.

9 Status Unknown: Percentage of students unaccounted for by any method during the 2002-03 school year. Status unknown students are not necessarily dropouts.

10 Graduation Rate: The graduation rate presented here is a 5 year cohort rate for the class of 2002. For more information on the Graduation Rate Study published by the ADE, please see our website at www.ade.az.gov/grad.

11 Arizona's Instrument to Measure Standards (AIMS) includes the reading, writing and mathematics subject areas. AIMS was administered to all students in grades 3, 5, 8, and 10 in the spring of 2000. In the spring of 2001, grades 3, 5, 8, 10 and 11 were tested; students tested in grade 11 consisted of students retaking AIMS who did pass in grade 10 plus any new students. In the spring of 2002, grades 3, 5, 8, 10, 11, and 12 were tested; students tested in grades 11 and 12 were either re-testing or were new. As a result, the number of students tested in grades 11 and 12 is smaller than the number of students tested in grade 10. The proficiency levels include: Falls Far Below (FFB) the standard, Approaches (A) the standard, Meets or Met the standards, and Exceeds. MSS: The Mean Scaled Score (average) on a 200-800 scale. A student must have achieved a scale score of 500 to meet the standard. Scale scores are not comparable among content areas. Migrant, Economically Disadvantaged and Non-Economically Disadvantaged % tested for 2002-03 are not available, however, they will be calculated in the future. The federal law, No Child Left Behind, requires disaggregation in subgroups and ethnicity. NC= Not Calculated. Under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), no individually identifiable references to students may be made. Therefore, items of data containing information about fewer than ten (10) students have been replaced with NC. No Data Available is replaced with dashes (--). For more information on testing and Arizona Academic Standards go to www.ade.az.gov/standards